

CXW/BPB/August 13, 2002

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the  
Commission's Proposed Policies and Programs  
Governing Low-Income Assistance Programs.

Rulemaking 01-08-027  
(Filed August 23, 2001)

**ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER'S RULING  
POSTPONING THE AUTOMATIC ENROLLMENT BILL INSERT**

In Decision (D.) 02-07-033, the Commission determined that customers of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), and Southern California Edison (SCE) should be provided with advance information about the automatic enrollment program. The Commission authorized the staff to work with the respondent utilities to develop a bill insert, and directed the utilities to include this bill insert in their respective monthly billing cycles as soon as practicable after the bill insert becomes available.

Staff from the Energy Division have begun the process of obtaining interagency agreements with the Department of Health Services (DHS), the Community Services Department (CSD) and the Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board (MRMIB) to share the databases necessary to complete the automatic enrollment (AE) project. These discussions have not yet progressed to the point that a firm start date for the AE project is known.

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Therefore, **IT IS RULED** that Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company, shall not include a bill insert with advance information about a bill insert enrollment project until a subsequent Assigned Commissioner's Ruling (ACR) directs them to do so.

Dated August 13, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ CARL W. WOOD  
Carl W. Wood  
Commissioner

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached ***ASSIGNED COMMISSIONER'S RULING POSTPONING THE AUTOMATIC ENROLLMENT BILL INSERT ORDER*** of Commissioner Wood as on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated August 13, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ SUSIE TOY  
Susie Toy

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